

Gulf of Alaska Halibut Mortality Report

Through: 31-DEC-2012

National Marine Fisheries Service
Alaska Region, Sustainable Fisheries
Catch Accounting



Trawl Fisheries

Deep Water Species Complex

Season	Begin	End	Total Catch	Limit	Limit Remaining	% Taken
1st Season	20-Jan-2012	01-Apr-2012	71	100	29	71%
2nd Season	01-Apr-2012	01-Jul-2012	385	300	-85	128%
3rd Season	01-Jul-2012	01-Sep-2012	133	182	49	73%
4th Season	01-Sep-2012	01-Oct-2012	0	0	0	0%
Total:			590	582	-8	101%

Shallow Water Species Complex

Season	Begin	End	Total Catch	Limit	Limit Remaining	% Taken
1st Season	20-Jan-2012	01-Apr-2012	485	450	-35	108%
2nd Season	01-Apr-2012	01-Jul-2012	76	100	24	76%
3rd Season	01-Jul-2012	01-Sep-2012	222	200	-22	111%
4th Season	01-Sep-2012	01-Oct-2012	1	150	149	1%
Total:			784	900	116	87%

Year-To-Date

Account	Total Catch	Limit	Limit Remaining	% Taken	Last Week Catch
Trawl Fishery	1,713	2,000	287	86%	0

Other Hook-and-Line Fisheries

Season	Begin	End	Total Catch	Limit	Limit Remaining	% Taken
1st Season	01-Jan-2012	10-Jun-2012	97	250	153	39%
2nd Season	10-Jun-2012	01-Sep-2012	0	5	5	7%
3rd Season	01-Sep-2012	31-Dec-2013	108	35	-73	309%
Total:			206	290	84	71%

Deep-water species complex: sablefish, rockfish, deep-water flatfish, rex sole and arrowtooth flounder. Shallow-water species complex: pollock, Pacific cod, shallow-water flatfish, flathead sole, Atka mackerel, and 'other species'.

No apportionment between shallow-water and deep-water fishery complexes during October 1 to December 31 (300 mt allocated).

Other hook-and-line fisheries means all hook-and-line fisheries except sablefish and demersal shelf rockfish in the Southeast District.

Halibut mortality for the demersal shelf rockfish fishery in Southeast District is not listed due to insufficient observer coverage.

Data is based on observer reports extrapolated to total groundfish harvest. Estimates for all weeks may change due to incorporation of late or corrected data.